## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Re: Earlier Copending Appli-: cation of Curtis, G. L. Serial No.: 10/118,678 Filed: 9 April, 2002

Group: Art Unit 3722

For: AUTOMATED COOLANT DELIV- :

Examiner: Ross, D.

Dated:

ERY METHOD AND SYSTEM FOR:

Action: AFFIDAVIT

A MACHINE TOOL

MAIL STOP: PATENT APPLICATION Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450

Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

Sir:

STATE OF COLORADO COUNTY OF DENVER

I, John E. Reilly, being duly sworn, depose and say:

That the attached is a true and correct copy of earlier copending application Serial No. 10/118,678, filed 9 April, 2002 for AUTOMATED COOLANT DELIVERY METHOD AND SYSTEM FOR A MACHINE TOOL by Gary Lee Curtis.

That I am attorney of record in the earlier copending application and also an attorney of record in the divisional application filed concurrently herewith.

Further affiant sayeth not.

John E. Reilly

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 24th day of December, 2003, at Denver, Colorado.

My commission expires 13 August, 2006.

Notary Public